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PORT ARTHUR, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 20, 1936.

PRICE FIVE CENTS

KID M'CROY DENIES MURDER CHARGE

SHORT STORIES

Facts With Frills, Factions And Otherwise By "S. S."

Clouds all around this a. m. First sun and then clouds today.

Fair mass meeting tonight at C-C.

C-C hotel committee confers tonight.

Flowers: experimenting with new radio this a. m.

Daisy Crockett, Atlantic company pipe line supt., receiving congratulatory letter today.

Hope springs eternal in the Jetties.

DAILY SHIP SCORE: In Port Arthur, B. at Beaumont, B.

Dick Lyles says a cripples club ought to be organized here.

Methodist churches here opening a Bible school next Monday.

Water department getting ready to mail out monthly statements.

Happy Jewish caught Tuesday by pilots on their boat Florida.

Seen 23 days now since day shift of fire department has answered a call.

Cap'n J. F. Rader starting out in his annual vacation in a few days.

Elgin Black wearing new hat today and declares it wasn't an election bet result.

Alex Shusterman breezed in from New York city and other eastern markets early this a. m.

Negro porter at city hall asked Commissioner Wiley's shoes this morning in city court room.

Cap'n Dave Eddy no longer has a shining dome. It's burned off but due to the sunshine.

Mail truck with cage in back mistaken for hoodlum woman when it parked on Fifth street today.

Pres. A. C. Hebble of Y. M. B. I. on job today after two weeks vacation.

City Engineer J. O. Herpin was built on the job this morning after a two weeks vacation, most of which was spent in Lafayette, La.

Since Dick B. told father day that he is to have cover every night because it is so cold in his room, friends have been urging him to give a slumber party.

Cap'n Sam Livingston, Sabine pilot, weighing considerably more after feasting on fried chicken and all the milk he could drink.

Mr. and Mrs. George P. Dyer of 1011 Eighth street are entertaining a two and one-half pound son in the home. He arrived on August 19 and has been named Carl Frederick.

Neal Rader tells that the patient boy he tied head around his neck with an elastic band slipped out of his hand today and hit him on the nose. He is expected to be out soon. The burn was caused by a gasoline explosion.

Quentin Wells, whose left leg was burned on August 8, shortly after he returned to his home, 1886 Rural street, in Beaumont from his work here, is slowly recovering and he is expected to be out soon. The burn was caused by a gasoline explosion.

Weather Report

LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight and Thursday generally fair.

For Louisiana: Tonight generally fair, Thursday generally fair.

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For South Carolina: Tonight generally fair, Thursday generally fair.

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W. P. McFarland Dies From Ruptured Blood Vessel

CLAIM KLAN IS TOO ACTIVE HERE

Brown Trial Continues at Beaumont

WITNESSES CALLED

Testify as to Feeling in County

Special to The News

BEAUMONT, Texas, Aug. 20.—The plea that R. B. Brown, Port Arthur man charged with murder, cannot obtain a fair trial in Jefferson county because the Ku Klux Klan is arrayed against him is being made by Attorney C. W. Howth, attorney, who is asking for a change of venue. He also contends that under the system of drawing juries, 12 men cannot be obtained who would not be influenced by Klan sympathies.

Hearing in the Brown case started in 60th district court Tuesday morning. Brown is charged with the killing of B. A. Harris, Port Arthur detective on August 24, 1935. The Ku Klux Klan attended at Harris' funeral, and feeling against Brown is alleged to have run high in Port Arthur at the time of the killing. For this reason the defense is attempting to have the case transferred to another county for hearing.

100 Witnesses

More than 100 witnesses for the defense, including Port Arthur and Beaumont, business men were summoned, although a number were dismissed when they declared they had never heard the case discussed for or against Brown.

Steve King, local attorney and former state senator took the stand as a defense witness in the change of venue application Tuesday afternoon. King declared that in his opinion the Klan was arrayed against Brown.

"My observation and experience in Jefferson county the past two years has led me to conclude that many cases have been decided without evidence given proper consideration," he declared.

He declared the Klan had been especially active ever since the Purner election, and that judgment on many cases had been precluded without consideration of facts. This was caused, according to King by a psychological combination of circumstances.

No Reflection

King stated, however, that the state was handicapped also on account of circumstances as he understood them existed in the county. "In justice to myself, I want to state that I do not mean to cast a reflection on the men in Jefferson county," King said.

"I believe," he continued, "that 12 good men could be obtained but it is highly probable that one of them might be prejudiced either for or against the Klan."

Joe Boudages, former tax collector took the stand following King's testimony. He referred to inflammatory speeches alleged to have been made by ministers following Harris' death and stated that in his opinion Brown could not get a fair trial in Jefferson county.

Strength of Klan

Witnesses were questioned at great length and cross examined by county attorney Martin Scourfield and C. W. Howth, attorney for the defense. They were asked to state what percentage of the male population they were thrown in contact with, the time they had lived in the county, and the strength of the Klan in the county.

Several witnesses for the defense declared that if they were in "Brown's shoes they would prefer that their case be transferred to another county."

Lee Perryman, court stenographer, took the stand yesterday. He told of plans that Judge E. A. McDowell, former judge of the 60th district court had made to transfer the case to another county. Judge McDowell, according to Perryman had been of the opinion that the case should be taken out of the county for trial.

The first witnesses for the state were out of the stand Wednesday morning. Tuesday afternoon county attorney Martin Scourfield asked that approximately 60 Port Arthur business men be summoned. Dr. V. A. Goddard was the first put on the stand and stated that Brown could safely go to trial. He was followed by George Bliss, Gulf Refinery official. Herbert Henderson, also of Port Arthur testified briefly for the state.

Expect Application

State witnesses were all questioned at great length by Attorney C. W. Howth. He attempted to prove that when refinery workers were testifying that they spent most of their time within the gates of the two institutions and were not in such communication with the outside world that they knew of feeling against Brown. Following examination of state witnesses, Attorney Howth then asked to introduce other witnesses for the defense.

"No Ma for Me, Too Much Pa" Signs Flood Houston When Mrs. Ferguson Rally Held

HOUSTON, August 20.—"No Ma for Me, Too Much Pa," ribbons are contending for honors here today with placards "No Ma for me—too much Pa." As followers of Mrs. Miriam Ferguson prepared for "Ferguson Day" here today, Felix D. Robertson supporters flooded the city with appealing slogans.

Mrs. Ferguson, after seeing the Robertson posters declared "that's bunk. If I'm elected governor, 'I'll be the governor and Jim won't be'."

Lowell Observations Suggest Vegetation As Mars Nears Earth

Expansive Areas Viewed by Astronomers When Huge Planet Turns on Axis Revealing Growth

LOWELL OBSERVATORY, FLAGSTAFF, Ariz., Aug. 20.—Tremendous growth in two dark areas near the equator of Mars that a month ago were comparatively faint was noted in last night's observation at Lowell Observatory.

The regions have been on the back of the planet until the last few days, and therefore were not observable in their entirety, but last night they swung into a wider view and presented graphic evidence of the Martian southern hemisphere.

Bellows Growth Found

Glowing a faint blue green, in spite of shimmering atmospheric conditions which temporarily obscured observations, they suggested that the Lowell school of Martian astronomers believe it possible to be evidence of vegetation.

Offhand estimates showed their combined areas to be more than 100,000 square miles. They averaged about 350 miles across and reached nearly three-fourths of the way across the disk of the planet. Scien-

tists believe the regions are known as "mare siccum" and "mare cinereum." The name "mare" Latin for "sea" was applied before it was discovered that Mars has no seas or oceans.

200,000,000 Acres

Reduced to more understandable forms, the combined areas cover more than 200,000,000 acres. This would be more than 21,000,000 pounds of wheat even if the crops were laid.

This is only a fantastic illustration, however, as no one knows what form vegetation Mars, if there is any vegetation, has taken in the process of evolution through the ages.

FAIR MEET IS CALLED TONIGHT

Gifford Asks All To Be Present

Mass meeting of all officers, the 20 directors, committee chairmen and members, representatives from the Trades Council and of every person interested in the first annual exposition of the Port Arthur Fair as societies to be held next month, is called for tonight at 7:30 at the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping office by President Gene Gifford.

Reports of some 29 standing committees and a discussion of the fair's status to date will feature tonight's gathering. The 12 divisions of the women's exhibits will be discussed by committee chairmen. In all there are about 200 Port Arthur citizens actively working on various fair committees at the present time, the records show.

FAIR PREMIUM LIST TO BE PRINTED SOON

The official fair catalogue and premium list has been completed and will be placed in the hands of printer Thursday. It was announced at fair association headquarters this morning.

The catalogue contains prize lists, regulations governing entries and other fair data.

STRICKEN ON HIS VACATION

Was Well Known Business Man Here

CAME FROM ORANGE

Established Jewelry Business In 1916

Stricken two weeks ago with a rupture of a blood vessel on the brain while vacationing in the Arkansas Ozarks, W. P. McFarland, 41, of 1900 Procter street, died at his home here about 11:45 a. m. today.

After becoming ill at the resort in the Ozarks, McFarland was brought home, arriving here Sunday, but it was not until Monday that his condition became serious. Until Tuesday McFarland was conscious. With the approach of a state of coma Tuesday, McFarland sank rapidly, rallying only for brief periods until death occurred shortly before noon today.

High Altitude

The high altitude of the vacation resort to which McFarland went to spend his summer vacation, together with strenuous exercise, brought on the rupture of the blood vessel on the brain, attending physicians here said.

Eight years ago McFarland came to Port Arthur from Orange, Texas, establishing a jewelry store in this city at 431 Procter street. He has been prominently identified in business, civic and social circles of Port Arthur. He was an active member of the Rotary club and the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping.

Survivors

Surviving McFarland are his wife, two daughters, Misses Mary Elizabeth and Thelma. His mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. McFarland of Orange; and two brothers, E. E. McFarland of Orange, and T. S. McFarland, of New York City.

At a late hour today funeral arrangements had not been completed, but the services probably will be conducted Friday in Orange, depending upon the arrival of the brother from New York City. The body is being prepared for burial at the J. E. Grammer undertaking establishment.

BARTON OFFERS AID TO TEXAS RANGERS

AUSTIN, Aug. 20.—Adjutant General R. D. Barton, Wednesday offered children county authorities asking if services of state rangers were needed in the investigation of the mystery surrounding the death of Mel J. Wright, anti-Communist candidate for sheriff, who died Monday at Childress as result of a bullet wound in the head.

Make Trainers, Also

Work shirts and trousers will be the main garments manufactured in a new plant. A home consumption of such articles would assure a paying business, the manufacturer said while here.

The manufacturer will be back to Port Arthur in 10 days. By that time the chamber industrial committee will have something definite to offer, officials say. "We are not going to miss this opportunity to bring another big industry and industry to Port Arthur, and we believe we will land this factory," Budge commented.

BUT ONE ISSUE

Says Menace of Klan Is Too Great

AUSTIN, Aug. 20.—There is only one issue in the gubernatorial race and that is the Klan, Senator Moore, assistant county attorney general and a director of the University Extension Association of Houston, declared in his answer made today to a circular letter sent out by D. A. Frank, of Dallas, ex-student of the university, asserting that the university would be in danger if Mrs. Ferguson is elected governor. Moore cannot see any danger to the University with Mrs. Ferguson as governor.

USES FORCE

John Davis Injects Strong Language in Race

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—After taking an intensive course in campaign oratory from his managers, John W. Davis, democratic presidential candidate, today began injecting more forceful language into his speech to be delivered Friday at Seattle, before a big gathering of New Jersey democrats.

Although Davis sought to adopt the "treat 'em rough" slogan given him by Governor Al Smith, the first draft of his speech is said to have failed to satisfy his managers. So he is endeavoring more closely to follow their suggestions.

BOX CAR BANDIT LIES NEAR DEATH

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Aug. 20.—A man who told hospital authorities his name was George Winfield, 32, of Philadelphia, and told detectives he was Walter Stanley, of Kansas City, Mo., was near death in a hospital here today from six bullet wounds. He was shot by detectives when they found him breaking into a Wheeling and Lake Erie box car here last night.

BURNES AND BROWN LIKELY TO RECOVER

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SPEAKING

Liberal Party Campaign to Open Labor Day

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Victory Banquet To Be Held at the Pier

The big victory banquet of the Young Men's Business League scheduled for the night of September 15 will be held at the Veterans Pier 15 was announced today following a conference held by officials with Manager E. P. Dodge, Dr. P. H. Reed and G. M. Latham. Of the three, Dr. Reed is only member retained out of the board of five members as established by the original civil service ordinance in 1922.

Engineers Plan To Build Big Armory On Local Property

Structure To Be Used as Civic Auditorium Would Cost \$15,000, Club Members Aver

An armory to cost \$15,000 and probably to be used as a civic auditorium will come to Port Arthur in the very near future if plans of the 11th Engineers' club, composed of members of the National Guard unit here, organized last night with 125 present, materialize.

A drive will begin within the next few days and the money raised in record time if possible so construction can begin at once, it was decided at the organization meeting.

The club was organized for the purpose of uniting the national guardsmen here and to be able to become a civic factor in an organized manner, it was brought out.

Prominent Men Directors

The mayor of Port Arthur, commander of the American Legion, president of the Trades Labor Council and the superintendent of the Texas Company and Gulf refineries will be considered as five of the eight directors of the club at all times. The other three directors chosen last night were Sigs, C. Friedl, H. L. Prince and Harry Smith.

All officers were chosen with the exception of the president, it being decided to wait a few days until this office is filled so that a leader for the armory drive could be chosen.

Captain A. A. Nicholson was named vice president and Captain P. T. Williams, secretary-treasurer.

Sell Bonds for Armory

The armory cost of \$15,000 will be raised by the sale of bonds. That Port Arthur should not consider its guard unit as a charity organization but one which nets the city good financial returns, was the spirit of the meeting. That \$27,000 has been spent by the 11th Engineers to Port Arthur the last two years was brought out. It was also stated more than \$2,000 in payroll money alone is turned loose here every three months.

An office for the club will probably be maintained at the city hall during the drive for the armory, it was learned today.

MAITRE SCORES WILL EDWARDS

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EX-PUG SHOUTS OUT WORDS IN DENYING CRIME

Insanity Fits Vanish in Court Room

EXTENSION ASKED

Case Will Come Up on Next Monday

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 20.—"I did not."

His hair dishevelled, eyes gleaming wildly and a scowl crossing his face, Kid McCoy, former champion pugilist and man of many loves, almost shouted the words in Superior Judge Crab's hall when he heard read the indictment charging him with the murder of Mrs. Theresa Moran, his latest sweetheart.

Then, quailing under the stern gaze of his attorneys, the "Kid" relapsed into silence, and crouched in his chair while his counsel asked and received an extension of the case until Monday for pleading.

Waive Reading

Complete reading of the eight charges in the true bills returned by the grand jury against McCoy was waived by defense attorneys Davis and Knickerbocker. They stated that details of their client's plea had not been completed and asked additional time.

Monday at 10 a. m. the plea will be entered and the case set for trial.

Insanity Vanishes

McCoy's series of insanity attacks, whether feigned or not, appeared to vanish with a final flurry yesterday afternoon when he threatened Dr. R. O. Shelton, a defense alienist but was quieted by his attorneys. The task of building up a defense for the former ring idol and low rascal, will be started when three new medical specialists examine him, seeking evidence of insanity, upon which, it is presumed, McCoy's plea will rest.

The prosecution is busy preparing a murder case against the "Kid." Nothing about the yellow will fit the crime, according to Attorney Keys, who announced that he hopes to have the case brought to trial within a month. The necessary procedure will be started today when McCoy is arraigned.

In Jail Denim

"The Kid" was removed from the city to the county jail following his indictment and he was today dressed in the regular jail denim. He is in a tank top with fifty other prisoners, who received him warmly, took him before the "kangaroo court" and made him turn over the few dollars he had to the jail tobacco fund.

CONFESSES

New Yorker Admits Setting Fire to Buildings

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—"The love of the upsurge and smoke," led George Gustow, 26, to set fire to scores of unoccupied dwellings, according to a confession made to Fire Marshal Thomas B. Brophy today.

No lives were lost, according to a checkup made by Brophy.

"Thank God, you got me," cried Gustow with a sigh of relief. "Now I can get some of this off my chest. Some force seems to drive me to set fires. I love the excitement, the people shouting, the shrieking and clanging of the fire apparatus and the smoke and uproar."

Gustow will be charged with arson.

Babe Dies Though Parents Give Blood To Save His Life

Blood transfused from the veins of the mother and father to little Charles Watson, Jr., 18 months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Watson, 319 San Antonio avenue, in an effort to save the baby's life was unsuccessful, and the infant died Tuesday night about 9:40 in Mary Gates hospital. Hemorrhages following the lancing of a rising on the baby's gums several days ago necessitated the blood transfusion in an effort to save the baby's life, his mother and father giving of their blood.

Funeral services for the child had not been arranged.

HOTEL COMMITTEE OF C-C TO MEET TONIGHT

The hotel committee of the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping has been called for an important meeting tonight at chamber headquarters by Abe Goldberg, chairman.

The committee has for the past several months been working closely on a number of hotel plans in an effort to solve Port Arthur's hotel problem. Goldberg has just returned from an extended trip east and is understood to have made some hotel investigations relative to local plans, while away.

With Goldberg on the committee are the following: G. P. Williams, Henry Lohmann, Travis Holland, G. N. Bliss, Fred Dodge, J. R. Deane, John W. Tryon, R. E. Drake, George M. Craig and Dr. M. F. Bledsoe.



Clarence Darrow, defense attorney in the Loeb-Leopold hearing, who will ask mercy of Chief Justice John H. Cawley.

J. M. JARRATT, AGED 70, DIES

Local Contractor Dies of Paralytic Stroke

J. M. Jarratt, 70, pioneer contractor of Port Arthur, died at

GUBERNATORIAL CLIMAX NEARS

Bitter Fight Waged Over Ku Klux Klan Issue

DALLAS, Aug. 20.—The most singular political campaign in the history of Texas is centering around the candidacy of a woman gubernatorial candidate was drawing to a close today with the election scheduled for the week-end democratic run-off primary.

Despite attempts to belaud the issue, the election will definitely show the strength of the Ku Klux Klan in Texas.

Mrs. Miriam Ferguson of Temple, wife of Jas. T. Ferguson, impeached governor, entered the campaign when the name of her husband was barred from the democratic primary ticket under a Texas statute prohibiting an impeached official to hold state office. Upon an anti-klan platform and with a plea for family vindication, Mrs. Ferguson fought her way into the run-off primary between the two highest candidates in the first primary, placing second in a field of nine.

Felix D. Robertson of Dallas, Ku Klux Klan endorser, led the field. Farmer Jim Stumps State.

Mrs. Ferguson has taken only a small part in the campaign, leaving the burden of the stump campaign upon her husband, "Farmer Jim." She has appeared on the platform only a few times in the secondary campaign.

Opposed to Mrs. Ferguson for the democratic gubernatorial nomination, which virtually amounts to election in Texas, is Felix D. Robertson of Dallas, avowed klan candidate. Robertson has conducted his campaign on the basis that Mrs. Ferguson's election would amount to reelection of "Farmer Jim," who was impeached as governor upon charges of misappropriation and misuse of state funds.

Denies "Throne Power" "Jim will be my chief adviser, but I will be governor of Texas," Mrs. Ferguson's reply to Robertson. "Jim made mistakes when he was governor, I will attempt to profit by them."

The outcome of Saturday's primary is purely conjecture. Both candidates are optimistic. In a statement at Houston today Mrs. Ferguson declared she "would not be satisfied with a majority of less than 125,000."

If Mrs. Ferguson wins, it will be the first time in the history of the country that a woman has been elected governor.

Following the defeat met by the klan in the recent Oklahoma and Arkansas primaries, klan leaders are making every effort to win here, lest another defeat definitely break their political power in the southwest.

MEXICANS HOLD U. S. CITIZEN

Bandits Capture Manager Of Lumber Company

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—American Charge d'Affaires Schoenfeld at Mexico City has appealed to the Mexican government to secure the release of J. G. Barthelemy, American citizen captured by bandits, the state department was informed today.

Schoenfeld also urged the Mexican authorities to punish the bandits upon their apprehension.

Barthelemy is a native of South Carolina, and is manager of the Crook and Lard Lumber company. He was kidnaped here carried him to the hills and are holding him for ransom.

J. G. Myers, American consul, is proceeding to Durango City to participate in the investigation where the kidnaping took place.

SABINE DISTRICT TO BE FULLY EXPLOITED

Official advertising for Port Arthur's first annual fair will begin about September 1, and the whole Sabine district will be extensively exploited with posters, signs and invitations to attend the exposition. Manager A. L. Burge said today.

A large contingent of banners to be tied on automobiles has already arrived. With these were also a number of poster invitations made up to be easily nailed up at strategic advertising places.

LEGION SEMI-MONTHLY MEETING ON FRIDAY

Reports of Port Arthur's six delegates to the American Legion convention which today closes a three-day session at Brownsville will be made Friday night when the legion post holds its regular semi-monthly meeting postponed from Wednesday.

The legion club house status will also be finally decided if possible, officials say. The Legion annual show, "Hill Revue of 1924," will also be started underway, its presentation to be September 8, 9 and 10.

PLAN MORE SHEL TO TEST CITY REVETMENT

Work on the 100-foot addition to the city shell revetment test at the foot of DeWitts boulevard will be started this week. City Engineer J. G. Herpin said this morning. The work will be completed in three or four weeks.

Order was given by the city commission two weeks ago to install an additional 100 feet to the present test of 50 feet, upon recommendation of the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping committee headed by George M. Craig.

HICKS TO SUPPORT MRS. MIRIAM FERGUSON

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 20.—Marshall Hicks, prominent politician, has announced he will support Mrs. Miriam Ferguson for governor. Mr. Hicks was chairman of the Texas delegation to the democratic national convention at New York.

Cool Eyes Watched Murder



Here is a new picture of Miss Florence McKinnis, 19, who sat at the wheel of an automobile on a lonely road near St. Joseph, Mich., while her sweetheart, Emil Zepke, struggled to death Miss Clara Haber, whom he had also promised to wed. The picture was taken of Miss McKinnis in the country jailer Benton Harbor, Mich. It gives a remarkable facial study of the girl, showing the cool set eyes and stern mouth.

BIBLE STUDY CLASS STARTED

Godbey, Rodgers to Deliver Address Series

Opening next Monday in the First M. E. church, South, 1541 Fifth street, a Bible study school will be conducted through September under the auspices of the First M. E. church, and the First M. E. church, south of the city.

Rev. Dr. V. A. Godbey, pastor of the First M. E. Church, South, and Rev. C. W. Rodgers, of the First M. E. church, will deliver a series of lectures and sermons to the adult classes daily from 10:45 until 11:30 a. m., using as a text book, Sailer's "Life of Christ."

Each evening at 7:45 o'clock, services will be held in the First M. E. church, Stillwell boulevard and Lake Shore drive, with lectures given by Dr. Godbey and Dr. Rodgers. The lectures of the first week will be devoted entirely to Bible religion problems, and during the second week the lectures will trace the development of Methodism, the story of the Methodist church, the story of the Methodist church, the story of the Methodist church.

Classes for primary and junior students also will be held during the Bible study sessions, these classes to last from 8:45 a. m. until 10:45 a. m., and include devotional, Bible stories, supervised play, and other work specially prepared for these departments.

Organization of the Bible study followed by a conference of church workers of both Methodist Episcopal churches in the city, when the pastors, officers, teachers in the Sunday schools and other workers met to formulate plans for the school, it was reported by the churchmen today with the announcement of the organization of the Bible study school.

FAST DRIVING IMPERILS CITY SCHOOL CHILDREN

Residents of Port Arthur Heights are up in arms against fast driving on West Sixteenth street because of the proximity of the Lamar Avenue school house, with school children constantly running, and fourth Mayor Logan told the city commission this morning.

City Engineer Herpin was instructed to place a sign on Sixteenth street warning against fast driving. Logan suggested that signs might be placed about all city schools.

S.S.S. keeps away Pimples

THERE are thousands of women who wonder why their complexion does not improve in spite of all the face treatments they use. They should not continue to wonder. Eruptions come from blood impurities and a lack of rich blood cells. S. S. S. is acknowledged to be one of the most powerful, rapid and effective blood cleansers known. S. S. S. builds new blood-cells. This is why S. S. S. roots out of your system the impurities which cause boils, pimples, blackheads, acne, blotches, eczema, tetter, rash. S. S. S. is a remarkable flesh-builder. That's why underweight people can quickly build up their lost flesh, get back their normal weight, pink, plump cheeks, bright eyes, and "pep."

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NEGROES HOLD WHITES SLAVES

Research Party Discovers Menials

LONDON, Aug. 20.—Itated over by King Sebelo—negro monarch of the district—a group of white settlers are living in servitude in the Great Kalahari desert in Africa, according to a story in the Daily Express.

The discovery of the white slaves was made when a South African party was doing research work near Mopolopol. Glancing black natives met the government party and escorted them to the king—a well educated negro who dresses in the style of the Europeans.

The white slaves were standing nearby the various butts of the village. There were about 50 of them and their every act was indicative of servitude. There was no indication the whites were ill-treated. Sebelo told the government party the whites were menials for the negro settlers and that they worked in the fields for their masters. They are not permitted to own land and are paid in grain.

The government report suggested that the slaves might be descendants from a troupe of settlers which entered the Kalahari desert in 1875 and were never heard of after that time.

With Presidential Candidates Today

President Coolidge The president spent the morning roaming through the woods and visiting the streams where he fished as a boy near his father's Vermont farm. He had no callers but planned to be best at luncheon to the newspapermen accompanying him.

John W. Davis The democratic candidate remained at his home in Le Valley, Va., L. re-arranging his speech to be delivered at Seagirt, N. J., on Friday.

Senator La Follette Follette put in most of the day drafting campaign material in the event Senator Wheeler arrives in town sufficiently early. La Follette will confer with him.

Guy Hebert, who with his wife, arrived from their home in Louisiana today to attend the funeral services.

Hebert was a native of Glenora, La., and came to Port Arthur about 15 months ago from Beaumont, going in business with E. L. Blane at the apartment and garage at 911 Houston avenue.

CHILDREN'S FATAL DISEASES Worms and parasites in the intestines of children undermine health and so weaken their vitality that they are unable to resist the diseases so fatal to child life. The safe course is to give a few doses of White's Cream Vermifuge. It destroys and expels the worms without the slightest injury to the health or activity of the child. Price 50c. Sold by the Corner Drug Store.—J.V.

CITY PAYCHECKS DRAWN ON FIRST NATIONAL BANK

City checks were distributed today drawn on the First National bank, although the city depository was awarded Monday to the Seaboard State Bank and Trust company for the coming year.

City Clerk Miles said the Seaboard bond had been turned over to City Attorney Withner for approval, and that transfer of the funds could not be made until the commission passed a resolution.

FOUR BANDITS ROB KANSAS CITY BANK

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 20.—Four bandits held up the Corn Exchange bank here today and escaped with \$18,000 cash. The bandits drove up to the bank in a Cadillac touring car. While one remained in the car, the other three entered the bank, forced Cashier H. D. Moore and three employees to lie on the floor, and scooped the cash from a till.

HOUSTON ACTING MAYOR FAVORS DEFENSE TEST

HOUSTON, Aug. 20.—Acting Mayor Halverton has appointed a committee of 25 to carry out plans for a national defense test on September 12. "There is nothing of a militaristic nature in this program," the mayor's letter to the committee declared.

MARKETS

WALL STREET JOURNAL FINANCIAL REVIEW NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Bullish operations suffered no loss of aggressiveness in today's session. The contrary the upswing gathered additional momentum in many sections of the list, assumed a degree of violence in some issues that had been since the memorable inflation market of 1919.

Street common sold at the highest price reached since that year and American Can kept its remarkable advance from Beaumont, going in business with E. L. Blane at the apartment and garage at 911 Houston avenue.

Such impressive buoyancy in leadership of this standing could not be accounted for by the balance of the industrial list. At the present close this class of stocks had attained the best level since the year of deflation was settling in back in 1920. This confirmation of the major character of the present advance brought fresh able participation from all over the country. With American Can forcing ahead in spectacular fashion.

NEW YORK LIBERTY BONDS U. S. Liberty, 3 1/2-20 101.31 U. S. Liberty, 4-20 102.14 U. S. Liberty, 4 1/2-20 102.17 U. S. Liberty, 5-20 102.18 U. S. Liberty, 6-20 102.21

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6 to 8 lb Picnic Hams, per lb16 8 to 10 lb Salt Shoulder, whole, per lb16 5 lb fancy lean Salt Bacon 1.00 5 lb fancy lean Smoked Bacon 1.10 Sugar cured breakfast bacon, by whole strip, per lb28 45 lb can Compound Lard 7.50 6 lb fresh pure Hog Lard, not soft 1.00 5 lb Compound Lard90 14 lb clean Blue Rose Rice 1.00 3 lb Michigan Hand Picked Navy Beans25 3 lb California Pink Beans25 3 dozen Guaranteed Fresh Eggs 1.00 3 lb fresh roasted by us "Popular" Coffee 1.00 Peck 15 lb net sound Idaho Potatoes45 6 lb sound dry Yellow Onions25 2 lb Fresh Pure Cocoa25 Macaroni or Spaghetti, per lb10 4 cans Del Monte tomato sauce25 5 cans Italian tomato paste25 2 No. 3 cans fine tender hominy25 No. 3 can Libby's Fancy Sour Kraut15 100 No. 8 strong Brown Lunch Bags35 1 lb pkg Old Fashioned Brown Sugar10 3 double bars Hardwater Castile Soap22 No. 3 can Table Peaches or Apricots19 6 pkgs Gold Dust25 6 bars Sunny Monday White Soap25 100 lb sk Damaged Rice, fine for chicken feed 1.75

12 Tall Cans Dairy League Cream \$1.00 1 lb net Blue Cow Pure Creamery Butter 39c

2 FOR 1 55c No. 2 can extra fine pure peach jam, 2 for55 25c can boneless and peeled select sardines, in pure olive oil, 2 for25 35c pkg Dehydrated prunes, peaches, apricots, loganberries or snap beans, 2 for35 35c can fresh or soured mackerel, ready to eat, 2 for35 35c jar Rice Hotel pure current jelly, 2 for35 25c large select Queen Green Olives, 2 for25 70c can, 6-lb net, tender select roast beef, 2 for70 15c bottle Yacht Club Mayonnaise, 2 for15 25c pkg 5 flavors Burnett's pure extract, 2 for20 20c jar pure strained honey, 2 for20 20c can No. 1 fancy cut stringless beans, 2 for25 20c can No. 1 fancy small green lima beans, 2 for25 60c worth toilet paper for25 30c can boneless Norway Kipperel Herring, 2 for30 30c can small fat Herring in tomato sauce, 2 for30 20c large glass tumblers assorted preserves, 2 for25 35c can Del Monte Ripe Olives, extra fine, 2 for35 45c No. 3 can table pears in heavy syrup, 2 for45 20c pkg Bakers fresh sweet shredded coconut, 2 for20 Come in and look over our bargain tables, it will pay you.

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KEEP UP FIGHT FOR DISTRICT

Want Shipping Board Man In Texas

BEAUMONT, Texas, Aug. 20.—Because A. G. Malone, director of the United States shipping board of the Gulf district from New Orleans does not favor the creation of another shipping district for the benefit of Texas ports does not mean the matter is ended, according to J. C. Bracken, manager of the Beaumont Chamber of Commerce. Bracken declared the opposition would be taken to Washington if necessary.

A conference of chamber of commerce officials was held Tuesday afternoon which a number of shipping men attended and argued for the creation of another district. Malone declared he was not against the proposition but believed it would be of no benefit to Texas ports. Malone is from New Orleans and the contention was made that the port in Louisiana is favored and for that reason, no change is desired.

Local shippers declare now that the fight is only started for the creation of the district, and they are prepared to go to Washington with facts in the case during the early fall.

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END SEEN FOR DEMO DISCORD

Party Leaders in Conference With John Davis

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Discordant notes that have marred democratic harmony since the New York convention became more marked today as party leaders discussed with John W. Davis, democratic standard bearer, the advisability of a strategy board to aid in conducting the campaign.

In a measure, party leaders believe that democratic success depends upon the ability of Davis to dominate the situation and bring about a settlement of the present difficulty which will be satisfactory to all elements of democracy.

Strategy Board Sought
The question of a strategy board was raised when protests were received from party leaders in many sections against the selection of Glen L. Shaver as chairman of the democratic national committee. The chief objection was that Shaver had no experience in national politics.

Davis selected him, however, as the best way out to end the controversy between the disputing factions in the convention.

In a three-hour conference between Davis, Senator Pittman, Nevada, and Daniel C. Roper, former commissioner of internal revenue, at Davis' home, failed to solve the problem. Davis will consult White and Isadore Dockweiler, national committeemen from California, on the subject today.

STORMS DELAY WORLD FLIERS

U. S. Birdmen Still Ice-bound in Greenland

REYKJAVIK, Iceland, Aug. 20.—America's around-the-world air adventurers probably will not land on home shores before September, owing to delays from storms and mishaps to the two airplanes.

The fliers, Lieutenants Lowell Smith and Lieutenant Eric Nelson, hoped to be able to take off today for Frederiksdal, Greenland, but everything depended on how quickly repairs to the two air craft could be made.

Repair Parts Dispatched
Admiral Hagerd, chief of the U. S. S. Richmond, wired the aviators here that the Richmond would stop at dawn 30 miles from Reykjavik and lower two seaplanes which carry the needed repair parts for the round-the-world airplanes. Sending the repair parts by the seaplanes will save three hours and perhaps make it possible for the aviators to get away today.

After the trip to Greenland, they still remain a hazardous journey before the two Americans. The trail leads over a dangerous route to Ivigtut, Greenland, a long jump to Labrador and then a battle with the fog which generally surrounds New Foundland.

'CAF' AT UNIVERSITY CLAIMS LEADERSHIP

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 20.—The least equipped cafeteria kitchen in the South is said to be that of the University of Texas, common, otherwise known as the "caf." Here hundreds of hungry students are fed three times a day from a kitchen which is modern in every way. Many of the best informed persons in the country have complimented the University on the cafeteria kitchen and its fine equipment, according to Miss Anna Jensen, manager. The electrical equipment includes a bread mixer, a machine used to whip cream, mangle, and to perform other similar aids to cooking, a potato masher, a potato peeler, and coffee grinder. These are only a few of the labor saving devices being used successfully in the cafeteria. A bread slicer is one of the most practical of the others.

EXPLOITATION BEGINS FOR CORSICANA FAIR

CORSICANA, Aug. 20.—The Navarro County fair will be held in Corsicana Sept. 9-13, and an advertising campaign has been launched to thoroughly exploit the fair in this section of the state.

The new catalogues are being circulated with carriers the make-up of exhibits and a great number of fair premiums and prizes that will be awarded.

W. P. McCannion is president of the fair association, and Oscar C. R. Nau, secretary.

24 ABSENTEE VOTES POLLED IN ORANGE

ORANGE, Texas, Aug. 20.—A total of 24 absentee votes had been cast up to Tuesday night according to County Clerk A. H. Coile. Failure to have the ballots printed earlier in the month cuts a number of absentees not to be able to vote.

WEATHER CHANGES IN ORANGE RELIEVES STOCK

ORANGE, Texas, Aug. 20.—Rains which fell here Monday afternoon will do an untold amount of good according to farmers, who say the showers were general in this section. Change in the temperature brought by the rain will relieve the wheat hazard, stockmen say.

SENATOR HARRISON IS RENOMINATED

JACKSON, Miss., Aug. 20.—Senator Pat Harrison was renominated by Mississippi Democrats in Tuesday's primary by an overwhelming majority. Returns showed that Harrison's victory over former Governor Earl Brewer, his only opponent, was approximately 5 to 1.

Memorial to Harding in Kansas Wheat Filed



A year ago, while on his way to San Francisco where he died, President Warren G. Harding turned "dirt farmer" one day at Hutchinson, Kan., and shocked wheat. On the spot where the late president handled his last bundle of wheat has been erected a monument (upper), paid for by contributions from school children. Elizabeth Humphries (lower right) then 11, recipient of a kiss from the chief executive during his visit, unveiled the monument. In the lower left Harding is shown as a "dirt farmer" on the spot.

MRS. FERGUSON IS CONFIDENT

Carries Hand, Bruised From Handshaking, Wrapped Up

HOUSTON, Aug. 20.—Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson, tired but confident of victory in her race against Felix D. Robertson for the democratic nomination for governor, is here today for a series of meetings. Her right hand, bruised by constant handshakes, was wrapped in bandages when she arrived from Temple last night.

At noon today Mrs. Ferguson was to be the guest of the Houston "Ferguson for Governor club" at the Elce hotel. "Eighty or more" meetings is scheduled, with Lynch Davidson presiding. Principal speakers besides Mrs. Ferguson were announced as T. W. (White) Davidson, M. M. Crane and V. A. Collins.

"I won't be satisfied with less than 125,000 majority Saturday," Mrs. Ferguson declared. "I'll be glad to see Saturday come, because I believe it will bring victory for me."

SAYS WOMEN DRAWING 'COLOR LINE' NOW

WESTPORT, N. Y., Aug. 20.—A charge that the national women's party was "drawing the color line" made at the grave of Mrs. Millthall by her father, featured the closing exercises of the annual convention of the organization.

John E. Millthall on whose estate the exercises were held unexpectedly complained, at a time when no speaking was scheduled, that several negro women, who were his guests, were not permitted to speak by the organization. They were Mary L. Shaw, dean of women at Howard University, Washington, and A. W. Hinton, of New York.

Dallas Mayor Plans Defense Co-operation

DALLAS, Aug. 20.—Plans were under way here today by the mayor's office for full co-operation with the plan of state Adjutant General Thomas Barton for majors to assume the direction of programs for national defense day, September 12.

A proclamation will be issued from the office in support of the governor's proclamation relative to the event, it was stated. Mayor Blaylock is vacationing in Colorado.

Excavation of Three Pharaoh Tombs Planned

PARIS, Aug. 20.—Harold I. Kelsey, Chicago banker returning from Egypt, says the Egyptian government is planning the excavation of three pharaoh tombs, said to be 1,000 years older than that of Tut-Ankh-Amen. The excavations are to be made next year and the government has hopes of finding ivory and gold furniture, Kelsey says.

THIEVES BUSY WHILE DWES MAKES TALK

EVANSTON, Ill., Aug. 20.—Pickpockets turned on the notification of General Dwes here last night.

One woman was relieved of a \$125 wrist watch and a \$375 fur pin. And while 100,000 spectators gathered on the Daves lawn, three Evanston homes were burglarized.

3,320,648 TONS OF COTTONSEED RECEIVED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—Cottonseed received at mills, excluding re-shipments from August 1, 1923, to July 1, 1924, totaled 3,320,648 tons as compared with 3,245,507 tons for the same period the previous year. Cotton seed crushed amounted to 3,304,451 tons against 3,241,557 tons.

COLDEST AUGUST IS FOUND IN EAST

From Pennsylvania to Vermont, Fall Seen

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Aug. 20.—This section shivered today in the coldest August weather in many years. Light frosts were reported in the mountains.

TOP COATS HAULED OUT
PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 20.—A few top coats made their debut here this morning when the mercury dropped to 50 degrees.

CHICAGOANS SHIVER
CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—Chicagoans shivered in felt hats and oil skins today as the mercury dropped to 61 and a chilling rain drenched the city.

SEEK EXTRA COVER
NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Early morning hours found New Yorkers groping about in storecoats for extra blankets. At 4 a. m. the temperature dropped to 56 degrees, the lowest temperature for August since 1895. The weather bureau has no reason for the sudden drop. There was a clear cloudless sky.

RAGLAND CEMENT PLANT DESTROYED BY BLAZE

GADSDEN, Ala., Aug. 20.—The cement plant of the Ragland Cement company at Ragland, was destroyed by fire here today. The loss was estimated at \$1,000,000. Fire broke out in the plant early Saturday night and burned until early today, reports said. Efforts to check the fire were futile. The only means of fighting it was a bucket squad.

ARRIVAL OF STONE STARTS FEDERAL WORK

ORANGE, Texas, Aug. 20.—Arrival of a large quantity of Bedford stone will mean the resuming of work on the new federal building under construction here and it is believed the structure should be completed in the near future. An additional number of bricklayers were put to work Wednesday morning following the arrival of the stone.

UNITE AGAINST G. O. P. CONGRESS

Demos, Liberals Combined To Oust Majority

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—Democratic and LaFollette leaders today opened an extensive drive to overthrow the republican majority in congress.

Unforeseen changes in the Rhode Island and North Dakota legislative delegations have opened the way for a combined effort to defeat President Coolidge should the presidential election be thrown into the house or senate. Because of the slender margin between the republicans and democrats in both houses, the movement is considered of the highest significance. It may determine who shall sit in the White House for the next four years.

Senator Cull, Rhode Island, republican put in jeopardy the theoretical majority of the republican senate.

TO NAME NEXT MEETING PLACE

Legion to Elect 1924-25 Officers Today, Also

BROWNWOOD, Texas, Aug. 20.—Election of officers for the coming year and selection of a 1925 convention city were on the program of the Texas American Legion here today.

May Self Hospital
Suggestion that the state tuberculosis sanitarium for veterans at Kerrville be sold to the federal government and Legion funds invested, ranging between \$3,000,000 and \$4,000,000 be returned to the Legion for work in the interest of veterans, was made to the state legislature in a report by the rehabilitation committee. The report was adopted by the convention.

The next year's meeting of the Nineteenth Division Veterans' association will be held in conjunction with the legion convention, it was decided when the organization elected officers for the coming year. Buford Jester of Corsicana was chosen head the veterans' association.

LOWEST TEMPERATURE FOR AUGUST RECORDED

BOSTON, Aug. 20.—The lowest temperature recorded in New England for August in years at North field, Vermont, where the barometer registered 40 degrees.

COUNTY DEMO CHAIRMAN TO SUPPORT ROBERTSON

ORANGE, Aug. 20.—Arrangement that W. B. Simmons, county chairman, would support Felix Robertson for governor and decision to have on next Friday night an enormous Robertson rally were the main political developments here Tuesday.

Simmons said he supported T. W. Davidson in the first primary but could not bring himself to vote for Mr. Miriam Ferguson as he believed should she be chosen governor her husband would be the power behind the throne.

FOLKS DON'T THINK BLOTCHES ARE PRETTY

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This is the fourth of a series of articles devoted to the INDUSTRIAL-COMMERCIAL-FINANCIAL progress of Port Arthur and vicinity. Other articles will appear each Wednesday.

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A THOUGHT FOR TODAY THE WICKED BORROWTH, AND PAYETH NOT AGAIN; BUT THE RIGHTEOUS SHOWETH MERCY, AND GIVETH.—PS. 37:21. THE BORROWER RUNS IN HIS OWN DEBT.—EMERSON.

The Editorial Mind

Dr. Frank Crane's Editorials

A WOMAN'S BEST AGE

Balthaz is supposed to have said that the dangerous age of a woman is thirty-five. Just exactly what he means by dangerous we do not know, but there is no doubt that a woman is at her best around thirty-five. Before this time she is too cocksure. She knows too much of life, also too little.

The loss of her ideals is still a surprise to her, and means too much, and her experience may have made her a little better.

Beyond the age of thirty-five a woman is apt to get matronly.

The ideal age of a woman, therefore, is about thirty-five. Very many women who have had little charm as young girls have suddenly become the most delightful persons in early middle age. They have learned to understand men by that time and expect less of life than younger women. They usually dress very well and are easily pleased.

They are not so temperamental nor so easily disappointed. They understand that they can be happy in once in a while without being happy all the time.

About thirty-five a woman is almost always an admirable hostess: she has traveled, she has read and she has met people and, therefore, she stimulates a man to his best, but she is also a rest to him and has come to find out that busy men seek from women the benediction of rest perhaps more than any other quality.

She is not so conscious of her youth and hence has a becoming humility. Women of every age can be charming, the old as well as the young, but a woman is at her best when she has passed her first youth and not yet entered upon old age, as far as men are concerned.

Of course everyone will judge of this according to his own likes and dislikes and in accordance with his experience with different personalities, but on the whole on the average, a woman of thirty-five makes the best companion for every man's business or leisure.

Many women who in their youth were unattractive, as they near forty become charming, agreeable and attractive, so that their companionship is appreciated by all their friends as it was not before.

The young girl who is still pretty and fresh, holding the delicate bloom of childhood, may be a delightful companion for occasion, but she is difficult to please and is uncertain as to her moods and she is not so dependable as those of older years.

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—A flapper, with a boyish bob, halted the noon-day parade along Fifth Avenue in front of the 42nd Street Library, when she sauntered out in a broad ban, on which was neatly embroidered, "I'm for La Follette."

Hot checkers at Atlantic City are dying of starvation because of the new vogue of men appearing about town sans hats or caps.

In one cafe with a capacity for 300 there were only 23 hats on the rack the other evening.

I'd never contribute a nickel to a fund for "starring checkroom attendants."

Mrs. C. W. Snyder had her husband, William, arrested for bigamy. As he was being taken to the prison, she was seen to be crying. He had been married to her for 10 years.

Such are the facts of life. "I killed him because I loved him!" is another popular slogan in this town of romance.

On a recent rainy day, three men dressed as painters, drenched to the skin, went into a speak-easy.

Although unknown to the bartender on watch, they pleaded threatened pneumonia, and with mercy in his heart the liquor dispenser took pity on them. He gave them succor.

They were prohibition agents. Shades of Larry Hirstein!

Living statues are not uncommon in New York.

Night Watchman Thomas Tobin saw a shapely figure slouching against the door of an office in the Standard Oil Building. He thought it was a statue. Then, it moved. It proved to be a 22-year-old girl. She was removed to a hospital.

ETIENNE CHEVENET, a powerful Frenchman, was found naked, praying to the sun on the roof of a mid-town building. It required three six-foot policemen to subdue him.

—STEPHEN HANNAGAN.

INDICTMENTS AND PLEDGES MADE BY JOHN W. DAVIS

The republican party has shaken the public confidence to the very foundation.

It has exhibited deeper and more widespread corruption than has been seen before in this generation.

It has shown its will toward efforts of honest men to expose its corruption.

It has shown gross favoritism to the privileged and utter disregard of the unprivileged.

It has been indifferent to world peace and timid in conduct of foreign affairs.

We have eaten of the fruit of the tree that was planted and it has been bitter in the mouths of even the most indifferent.

It has brought forth corruption in high places, favoritism in legislation, division and discord in party councils, impotence in government and a hot struggle for profit and advantage which has bewildered us at home and humiliated us abroad.

To bring the government back to the people is and always has been the doctrine of democracy.

It is the supreme need of the hour to bring back to the people confidence in their government.

Shell shock was late in arriving if it is to be put forward now as the excuse for these gross misdeeds.

I charge the republican party with the greatest form of favoritism which gives him who hath and takes away from him who hath not.

No matter how lofty the ideals or how pure the purposes of any party, the country is not served unless it possesses both the will and the purpose to carry these ideals and purposes into effect.

An executive who can not or will not lead, a congress that can not and will not follow—how can any government exist under such conditions?

The unpardonable sin, for it is a sin that strikes at the national life, is conduct so corrupt, so partial and so feeble that it shakes the public confidence in government itself.

From my point of view he only deserves to be called a progressive who can not see a wrong persist without an effort to redress it, or a right denied without a right to protect it.

All that goes to make better and happier and freer men and women is progress; all else is reaction.

A progressive is one who thinks of every governmental policy first of all in its bearing upon human rights rather than upon material things; who believes profoundly in human equality and detests privilege in whatever form or whatever disguise; and who finds the true test of success in the welfare of the many and not the prosperity and comfort of the few.

The democrats pledge themselves to honest, just and impartial government.

To oppose any challenge, organized or unorganized of the constitutional guarantees of religious freedom, without loss or threat of loss, without lessening or threat of lessening, his civic, social or political rights, worship in his own way and fashion the one God and Father of us all.

No disaster that the mind can picture equals in its hideous possibilities the coming in this country of a separation of its citizenship into discordant groups along racial or religious lines.

Nothing would so utterly destroy our happiness and security at home and our dignity and influence abroad.

Let it be said to the immortal glory of those who founded the province of Maryland that religious freedom on this side of the water began with the Toleration Act which they adopted in 1649.

Mr. only query concerning any appointee will be whether he is honest, whether he is competent, whether he is faithful to the constitution.

No selection (to federal office) to be made by me will be dictated, inspired or influenced by the race or the creed of the appointee.

To enforce all laws, including prohibition amendment and statutes enacted under it.

To aid agriculture through tariff revision and extension of cooperative marketing.

To reduce taxes and revise the tariff.

To maintain national defense until reason is permitted to take place of force.

To oppose efforts to prevent right of labor to organize or bargain collectively and against the writ of injunction.

To protect women and children from greed and unequal laws.

To prevent child labor and suppress the drug traffic.

To approve the world court.

To enter the League of Nations with the people of the United States favor such a step.

To have America sit as an equal among equals whenever she sits at all at an international conference.

To cooperate officially with the league or any other source in efforts to lessen the prospects of war.

To promote disarmament and the welfare of mankind.

The civic unit is not the dollar but the individual man.

Democracy in government and democracy in industry alike demand the free recognition of the right of all those who work in whatever rank or place to share in all decisions that effect their welfare.



THE FUN SHOP By MAXSON FOXHALL JUDELL

Why? I like my dentist. He's a friend I would not do without. How quickly he relieves my pain; He knows what he's about.

My doctor, too, is surely good. At curing human ills. He always knows just what I need Of politics and pills.

Their offices they have equipped With up-to-date machines. But tell me who they will display Such ancient magazines.

Qualified Blackstone: "What in the world ever induced you to go into the expensive business? You haven't any experience in that line. I know of it."

Webster (who lives in the suburbs): "I haven't, eh? Well, if you cared as many families as I do, you'd know the business from A to Z."

The Swearer "Where do you learn such frightful language?" Caddy (innocently): "Out on the golf course."

His Attempt "Eh-ah!" said one of the prominent citizens assembled in the cross-roads store. "Pore Ira was a good feller, but he didn't 'pear to have no sense—that is, no right down judgementsense. His death showed that."

"What did he die of?" asked the barking powder salesman. "He killed himself eating liver pills on a bet."

Under Cover "His hair is all so becoming to him." "Is he handsome?" "Not he's bald."

Calls The mountains call to some of us. The sea shore claims its share. But the dinner call is always sure To get the whole gang there.

A Satisfactory Record Phil: "How long have you been married?" Ben: "Let's see, I bought this suit I'm wearing four years ago."

A Time For All Things Dusty Dumbbell Overcast (during late war): "Buddies, you need not ex me to roll de bones wid y'all. De onliest irony I shules ever hear is dese beah chatterment!"

The Editor's Gospel Shop We have a poem which exactly 211 readers have sent in as original. Fifteen of these readers, on legal complaint, said they would be willing to defend the originality of the poem.

Now let's be frank—the reader who sends us old humor is wasting his time, paper and money. In addition, his reputation isn't enhanced with your editor.

We would much rather consider an original contribution if it had a mark of "good" than one bred in the wood even though it were "excellent."

We want original and unpublished humor. You are the one who can help us and other readers in supplying that humor. And for profit! Make up your mind to "make" The Fun Shop.

They Also Serve "You've got to hand it to a girl who labored away so unmercifully at her violin, till she made good."

"You mean you've got to hand it to the people who lived with her." —Gertrude Heller.

A One-Man Job "I'm going to kiss you, honey." "Do you want me to cry for help?" "No, thank you, dear—I don't need any!" —Bassell Gardner.

Many a man has gone with the boards on account of a pair of gloves.

Your Money AT WORK

Brief out important lessons in finance, money, stocks, bonds and investments.

MARGINAL TRADING IS LEGAL.

What is to be said for or against the legality of marginal trading? Distinctly marginal trading is legal. This is the consensus of opinion throughout the country. The objection was raised that marginal trading was illegal because it was merely wagering. Federal and state statutes forbid wagering contracts.

While marginal trading is purely a speculative proposition, through which the trader may expect only to get profits or losses, there is an actual purchase and sale by the customer's agent, the broker, who makes or accepts delivery and pays or receives the purchase price as the case may be.

Furthermore, the customer may be made to accept delivery by the broker and to pay the balance thereof at a specified time. Under the New York state statute short sales are expressly legalized.

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What She Was Waiting For He told her she was very intelligent. "He frowned, but she was not entirely displeased."

He told her she had dignity and commanded respect. She smiled coldly but remained silent.

He told her she reminded him of a Greek goddess, with her clear-cut, marble-white features. He tapped her foot with thinly veiled impatience.

Finally he got "wise." He told her she was very pretty, and asked her to marry him. She flew into his arms.

His Stomach's First The public party had progressed as far as the interurban station. He carried the basket, she looked after Willie, who grew frantic as the train finally approached.

Willie: "Daddy! Daddy! Get off the track! The train's coming!" Mother: "Be quiet, Willie. Daddy will be careful."

Willie: "But Daddy, Daddy, get off the track! Mamma, make Daddy get off the track. He's got the lunch."

The Jingle-Jangle Counter Sawa came handy now and then; Girls at times make fools of men.

She told us she was a poet; Believe us her big foot show it.

A bricklayer is always laying down on the job. (Copyright, 1924, Reproduction Forbidden.)

STINGLESS HORNETS FOUND IN NEW YORK NARACAC LAKE, N. Y., Aug. 20.

Peter Palmer of North Ticonderoga has long made pets of the hornets living about his garden. The aged man catches flies for the hornets who eat from his hands. The doctored tanner asserts his strange pets never sting him in years.

NEGLECTED HIS CLASS IS HAILED INTO COURT CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—Frank Fried, municipal swimming instructor, held his class for women overtime and let the men flounder unassisted. He was brought into court for negligence of duty.

The NERVOUS WRECK by E.J. Rath

BEGIN HERE TODAY The Nervous Wreck, an account of the young easterner, driving Sally Morgan from her father's ranch to the railroad station when they run out of gasoline, is the account of a passing car which refused to stop. The wreck takes five gallons at the rate of a gallon.

Later they are held captive at a ranch along the way because the rancher, Charlie Underwood, needs a cook, and Sally fills that need. They discover that the wealthy owner of the ranch, Mr. Underwood, is the owner of the car which they held up. Underwood and his boy and girl are kept in a stable at the ranch for several weeks. At the risk of being recognized, the Wreck waits in the stable, the room and overheard their discussion of the highway robbery.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY "I don't see why you can't have Charlie call in the men and start them out on the road," observed the youth.

"They've got work to do here, growed his father, as he spread a napkin. "And it's not their job, surely. It's a sheriff's job."

The Wreck, who was ladling soup at the serving table, never spilled a drop. He merely prolonged the task, as he listened.

"It seems to me he ought to have some deputy you could get hold of," suggested Harriet Underwood.

"I don't want his deputy. I don't do business with deputies. I want the man in charge. I don't know, I want enough taxes in this country to get a sheriff when I want one. He must be a fine sheriff to let a state of affairs like this go on."

"Well, I guess you could get another one elected, if you wanted to," remarked the young man, with an effort at lightness.

His father glared at him. "Don't be an ass, Chester. What we want is not a sheriff—on the job. We're not running next year's election."

The Wreck, having ladled soup into three plates, picked one of them up and turned toward the table. This was the crisis, and there was no longer any use in trying to postpone it. He laid the plate in front of Miss Underwood, and then, for the first time since he had entered the room, he seemed to attract family attention.

The girl gave him a casual look and picked up her napkin. Chester's examination was equally brief. Servants were a matter of no great interest, either to himself or his sister. But the scrutiny of Jerome Underwood was more prolonged.

The Wreck blinked painfully and wished that he had his gloves on, so that he could hide his expression more accurately.

He had fetched a second plate of soup and laid it before the ranch owner before a word was addressed to him.

"You didn't work here last summer," announced Underwood.

"No, sir."

It was a bitter voice, but the Wreck kept his voice low and respectful.

"What's your name?" "Williams."

"Where are you from?" "Pittsburg, sir."

"Just working here for the summer?" "Yes, sir."

Underwood nodded and picked up his spoon. The Wreck moved off toward the serving table and got another plate of soup. He felt as though he were treading on air. He did not believe he was going to mind waiting on the bog, after all; it was so much satisfaction to fool him.

The head of the ranch at his soup with purposeful speed, pushed back the plate and began drumming on the table with the tips of his thick fingers.

"It's a fine telephone service we get out here," he grumbled. "I suppose that girl hasn't bothered her head about it since."

"But of course it may take time to locate him, father," said Miss Underwood.

"It ought not to. What's a sheriff for? He's supposed to be within call. If I know anything about his business, I'll let you know. I'll let you know, I'll let you know."

Jerome Underwood's voice trailed off in a low growl and he continued to drum with his fingers.

"Well, I wanted to take a shot at the one in the road and you wouldn't let me," complained Chester.

"That would have been the business," Willie said. "I'll let you know, I'll let you know."

"I'll let you know, I'll let you know."

"I'll let you know, I'll let you know."

THE NEWS' SOCIAL AND HOUSEHOLD PAGE

Attractive Bridge Given By Mrs. Scharnberg For Miss Flossie McDowell

A charmingly appointed affair of this week was the bridge Monday afternoon arranged in compliment to Miss Flossie McDowell of California, the attractive guest of Mrs. E. M. Friedl, and having as hostess Mrs. Lester Scharnberg at her home, 2449 Lake Shore drive.

A lovely motif of yellow and white was effectively displayed in the home adornment, beautiful summer flowers in graceful arrangement about the rooms giving an added charm to the home. Three tables of players were assembled to honor Miss McDowell and the guests enjoyed the games only the usually attractive environment. Bridge tables were outfitted in covers and accessories reflecting the delicate hues, and at the close of the games the hostess offered a dainty salad course featuring the yellow and white theme in lovely manner.

For success in the games Mrs. Alfred Butcher received the first prize and consolation fell to Mrs. C. W. Hurley. Jr. Miss McDowell was presented with a beautiful guest favor as a special souvenir from her hostess.

The personnel of guests included Miss Flossie McDowell, Mrs. E. M. Friedl, Mrs. A. L. Forbes, Mrs. J. H. Naylor, Mrs. Alfred Butcher, Mrs. C. W. Hurley, Jr., Mrs. J. W. Horie, Mrs. R. L. Lewis, Mrs. F. Hendland, Mrs. J. D. Thompson, Mrs. Russell Dunn and Mrs. A. B. Masters.

HOUSEGUESTS ENTERTAINED

Misses Margaret and Clara Hamilton of Houston, the daughters of Misses Eugenia and Frances Jacobowitz were pleasantly entertained with a luncheon by Miss Ursula Landry last evening at Gates Beach.

The Misses Jacobowitz and guests spent the day at Miss Landry's home, 718 Tenth street, and during the late hours of the afternoon enjoyed the swim at the beach.

Enjoying the pleasing affair were Misses Margaret and Clara Hamilton, Misses Eugenia and Frances Jacobowitz and Ursula Landry, Messrs. Bruce Wats, Joe Blanchard, Howell Mrs. George Stebb, Arctide Landry, Arthur Landry and A. J. Landry and Mrs. J. F. Jacobowitz.

MR. AND MRS. ARREY HOME FROM TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Abbey and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Abbey and little daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth, have returned after an enjoyable motor trip to Houston and San Antonio.

PORT ARTHUR COUPLE WED AT HOUSTON

Announcement of the wedding of Mrs. Fay Nickell and Mr. O. A. Hyde in Houston on the evening of August 11 at 7 o'clock was made upon their return to Port Arthur. They are now at home to their friends at 2009 Froese street after a wedding trip to Houston and Galveston. Mr. Hyde is an employee of the Texas company terminal, with which he has been connected the past fifteen years.

MR. AND MRS. MCULLEN VISITING IN PORT ARTHUR

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mcullen and son, Clark, of Lufkin arrived in the city yesterday afternoon for a visit with their sister, Mrs. Charles Kohn. Mr. and Mrs. Mcullen are returning from an overland trip to San Antonio, Austin, Houston and other Texas points. They will visit in the city until the latter part of the week.

PARTY RETURNS FROM TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. House, Mr. and Mrs. Leon House, Mrs. Denver Hostie and Miss Althea House, have returned after a delightful two weeks automobile tour of various points in Arkansas and Oklahoma and the Ozarks.

MRS. ALBERT DAVIS VISITED IN CITY

Mrs. Albert Davis and children, Helen, Bessie Lee and Warren, and Mrs. Davis' mother, Mrs. Reeder of Sabine Pass were in the city yesterday as the guests of Mrs. A. Dobbins of 2231 Fourteenth street.

MINNEHAHA CAMP FIRE ENTERTAINS KIDNIES

The Camp Fire girls of the Minnehaha Camp in accordance with their plans for the month of August entertained the kiddies of the Day Nursery yesterday afternoon with an enjoyable afternoon at Lions Park.

The twenty-two children, which are now being cared for at the Day Nursery, were entertained with games at the park from 4 to 6 o'clock. The camp fire girls will be awarded honors for this special work.

Camp Fire girls who assisted in the entertaining yesterday were Carol Letkovitz, Katherine Ward, Leonora Sherman, Jewel Meyers, Helen Davis, Mary Wellman and Viola Youngblood, and the guardian, Mrs. Emmett Welch.

CIRCLE ONE HAS MEETING

Circle One of the Women's Auxiliary of the Central Baptist church met yesterday with Mrs. C. L. Haynes at her home, 710 DeQueen boulevard. Mrs. T. E. Connolly taught the lesson study for the morning session.

Those in attendance were Mrs. C. L. Thomsen, Mrs. L. W. Umberger, Mrs. A. C. Anderson, Mrs. E. M. Anderson and Mrs. C. L. Haynes and daughter.

Takes Off Stockings; No One Notices Change!

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Somebody gave a psychologist and let him explain this:

Why is it that a "runner" in a girl's silk stocking lineately draws everyone's attention to her legs?

And why is it, after she has removed her stockings, that few notice her?

Pert Kelson, vaudeville comedienne, was strolling through Central Park last spring when one of her towings developed one of those annoying "Jacob's ladders."

But it seems that the psychology of your scurrying pedestrian is such that he sees only that which he is accustomed to see.

He sees a young lad in a pink dress. The young lad has "lace legs." The pedestrian is accustomed to seeing young ladies in flesh-colored hose. His mind assumes that the manufacturer of flesh-colored hose performed another miracle, and skips on to the next pair of legs.

The cool breezes of springtime, the swaying of willow branches, the rustling of leaves, combined to decide Miss Kelson to wear no more hose.

So she has rolled her stockings into the discard. Ever since that memorable spring day she has gone barelegged, with her feet encased in toe-revealing white leather sandals.

No Flurry

She walks through crowded streets and creates no flurry at all. Pedestrians, she says, are more apt to notice her lack of stockings after she has ceased them, and they scan the back of her ankle, where the motion of her leather sandals reveals that flesh, and not silk, is beneath.

Miss Kelson believes that her idea may be copied by girls throughout the United States. Didn't Greek and Roman goddesses, some centuries ago, walk through Rome and Athens in just this style of footgear? And doesn't history repeat itself?

Clipping: "No stockings and no stockings. And Cleo in her day was no back number."

CIRCLE TWO ENTERTAINED

Mrs. D. H. Wiley was cordial hostess to Circle Two of the Women's Auxiliary of the Central Baptist church yesterday morning at her home, 2821 Tenth street.

Following the devotional service and Bible study on "Signs," taken from the study of "Christ's Healing Ministry," which was in charge of Mrs. R. J. Rich, a business session was held and plans were discussed for the half-day session to be held next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. J. W. Townsend, 201 Eighth street.

The sessions closed with the lesson study on the Old Testament from the study book, "From Genesis to Revelations," which was taught by Mrs. J. A. Ligon.

Those present were Mrs. J. T. Youngblood, Mrs. J. W. Townsend, Mrs. Webb Laird, Mrs. R. J. Rich, Mrs. H. S. Hyde, Mrs. J. A. Ligon and Mrs. R. H. Wiley.

CHOPAWHEE CAMP FIRE HAS MEET

The Chopawhees Camp Fire met yesterday afternoon with the guardian, Mrs. George Drake at her home, 2214 Fifth street, at which time the Camp Fire girls planned a candy sale to be held downtown today.

The girls discussed having a booth at the fair but only tentative plans were arranged for this event. Irene Ahlborn, who went with Mrs. Drake to Mrs. Bruce Rell's home in the Gulf Refinery Park to make a study of Mrs. Rell's birds, told of her visit.

On next Monday afternoon the girls will meet at Mrs. Lorraine's home at 2:30 o'clock to make two kit bags for the Red Cross chapter.

MRS. S. E. WHITE IN ATLANTA, GA.

Mrs. S. E. White of Griffing Residence Park is visiting relatives in Atlanta, Ga. Mrs. White expects to be gone one month.

GREAT AMERICAN GAME

SH—Oh, look! Iowa has three men on base! HE—Yes, but Chicago is at bat— Iowa Friol.

MISS DAIGLE ENTERTAINS

Miss Ida Daigle entertained a few friends last evening at her home in celebration of her twentieth birthday.

The home was prettily adorned for the entertainment, and in the dining room the table was centered with a handsome birthday cake. At the cutting of the cake L. Breaux cut the button and Miss Inez Lousard found the trinket. The wishbone was cut by Miss Lena LeBlanc and Clement Hollier received the heart while Miss Daigle cut the dime and the ring fell to Miss Emma Anderson.

Those enjoying the occasion were Misses Effie Borel, Anna Bell Thibodeaux, Robert Fisher, Beulah Daigle, Eunice Thibodeaux, May Harlan, Birdie Chadwick, Isabelle Paten, Emma Andrus, Lena LeBlanc, Nelson Fortune, Lois Hanla, Marie Mallet, Jane Provost, Anita Letulle, Lillian Thibodeaux, Maudie Letulle, Pearl Broussard, Angeline Letulle, Hazel Borel, Florence Garry and Ida Daigle; Messrs. Tom Richard, W. Vaughan, S. E. Edmund, J. P. Champagne, Delphie Thibodeaux, O'Neal Chadwick, Howard Dionne, George Decout, Leonard Breaux, Noah Darter, Ada Darter, Scuddy Loupe, O. Tatum, J. CaCrows, Louis Mallet, G. D. Guiriz, Charles Delord, Edith Thibodeaux, Harris Rhodes, G. L. Breaux, R. J. Broussard and Tom Broussard; Mrs. George Gory and Mrs. Paten and family.

Muscle was furnished throughout the evening by the Crinson Quartet composed of Eddie Loret, J. N. Crother, Russell Loden and Charles Brown.



PORT ARTHUR IN STREET GARD: OPEN SANDALS AND NO STOCKINGS.

Epworth League To Give Play Friday Night

An outstanding affair of the week is the presentation of the comedy drama, "Deacon Dubbs," which the Epworth League has planned for Friday evening, August 22, on the roof garden stage of the First M. E. Church, South.

Mrs. L. A. Glickler, one of Port Arthur's most popular young women, widely known in both church and social circles, is personally directing the comedy drama. Mrs. Glickler is being assisted by B. A. Watson, who is assistant pastor of the church. Mr. Watson taught in the high school here last year and is a graduate of the Southern Methodist University. He is an accomplished reader and having taken a special course at S. M. U., is well versed in dramatics.

The play is highly entertaining, beginning with a laugh and ending with a tear. The cast has been chosen from the younger people of the church, all the characters being remarkably well suited for their roles.

The proceeds of the entertainment will go toward some worthy cause being promoted by the Epworth League and the players are anticipating a large and appreciative audience.

DEFENSE DAY PLANS SCORED

Fort Worth Mayor Refuses To Head Program

FORT WORTH, Aug. 20.—Mayor E. R. Cockrell has today refused to act in the capacity of local chairman of the national defense day committee, which was asked to outline a program of observance September 12.

Cockrell's refusal was based upon his opinion that the defense day observance would be inflammatory and embodiment of an anti-peace program.

Cockrell's attitude was outlined when it was learned that Thomas D. Barton, adjutant general of Texas, had sent out letters to all Texas mayors asking them to head local committees in carrying out a proclamation by Governor Pat Neff relative to national defense day observance.

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ADAMS BUSY BOOSTING PORT ARTHUR FEATURES

Gospel of Port Arthur's progress is being broadcasted now at Hot Springs, Ark., by John R. Adams, local business man and capitalist, who in a telegram sent today to A. L. Borge, manager of the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping, asks literature be mailed him posthaste.

"Send me some red hot advertising," the wire reads. Borge replied with several copies of the recently illustrated 25-page folder gotten out by the chamber depicting Port Arthur and district.

RAIL COLLISION INVESTIGATED

Officials Hold Conference at Fort Worth

FORT WORTH, Aug. 20.—Railroad officials and representatives of the Interstate Commerce commission were in session here seeking to affix the cause of the collision of the Southern Pacific and Texas Pacific freight trains near Grand Prairie last week in which one trainman was killed and another seriously injured.

More than a score of Southern Pacific and Texas Pacific officers were here for the session.

No announcement of the findings of the body will be given until the investigation is completed, it was stated.

H. A. Childress, Jacksonville, Tex., engineer on the Southern Pacific freight, was killed when his engine crashed into the caboose of the T. P. train, J. L. Lewis, fireman, was injured when he leaped from the cab.

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THREE-CORNERED GOVERNOR FIGHT

Wisconsin Executive Played By His Opponents

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 20.—Wisconsin's three-cornered fight for the nomination of governor is gradually drawing to a close, with all three candidates "stumping" the field before the primary election September 20.

Governor John Blaine, recently endorsed by Senator LaFollette, went into the race when the governor vetoed the gasoline bill, which would have supplied funds for more hard-surfaced roads.

George F. Cummings is making a bid for the nomination on charges such as that the governor has switched from "dry" to "wet" and that he "has ignored true progressivism during his term of office."

MAY IN CHARGE OF ROTARY CLUB PROGRAM

The Rotary club will meet at the ice plant Thursday noon as guests of the Eastern Texas Electric company. The luncheon is set for 12:15. The program will be in charge of Harry May.

2-DAY-OLD BABE DIES AT HOSPITAL

Charles Walton, Jr., 2-day-old infant of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walton, 319 San Antonio street, died at Mary Gates hospital last night.

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LETTER FROM LESLIE PRESENTED TO RUTH BURKE

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The hours were on, mother being more and more excited. I called up Karl's house almost every half hour. At last, about one o'clock at night, I tried to make mother go to bed. She would not, however, but she insisted that I should lie down for a while.

I must have dropped asleep, for about seven o'clock the next morning she came to my room in a very excited manner and said:

"Leslie, look here what the morning papers have to say about Alice. My heart sank when I saw it. Had Alice really made good her threat and killed herself?"

She certainly had not. Instead, she had gotten hold of Karl Whitney and they had been married late in the afternoon and left for New York.

Just what Alice told Karl I cannot imagine, but I know him well enough to know that whatever she told him if she threw herself upon his pitying charity, he would do anything she asked him.

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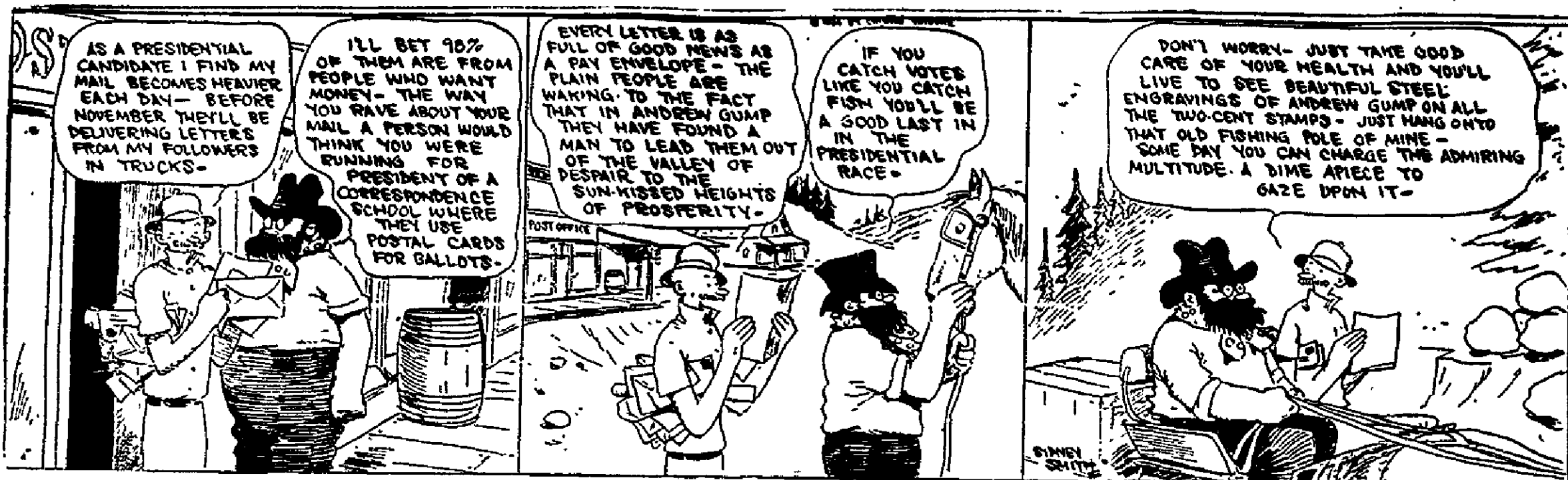
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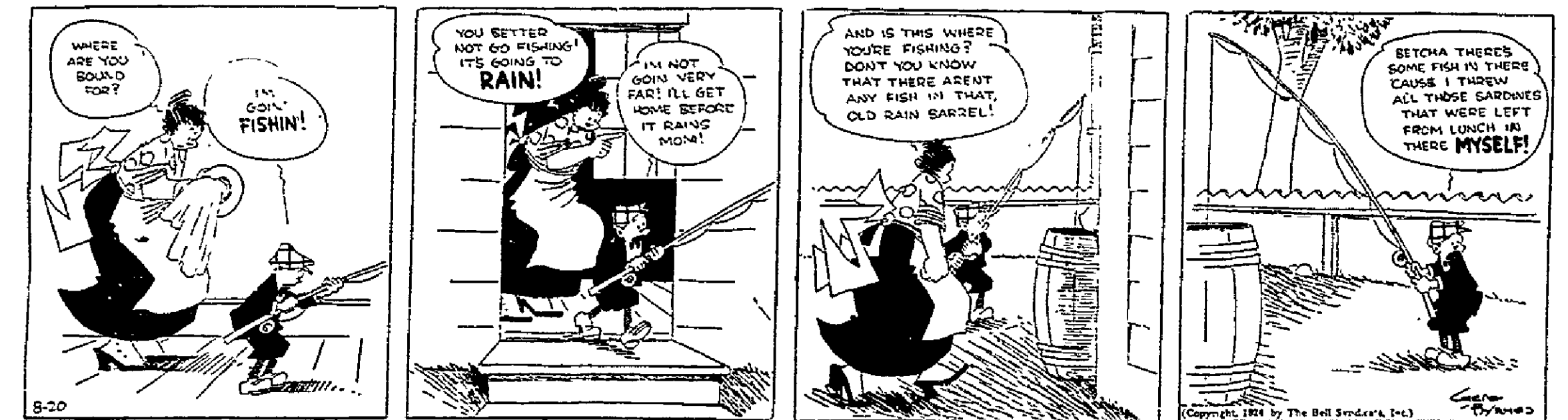
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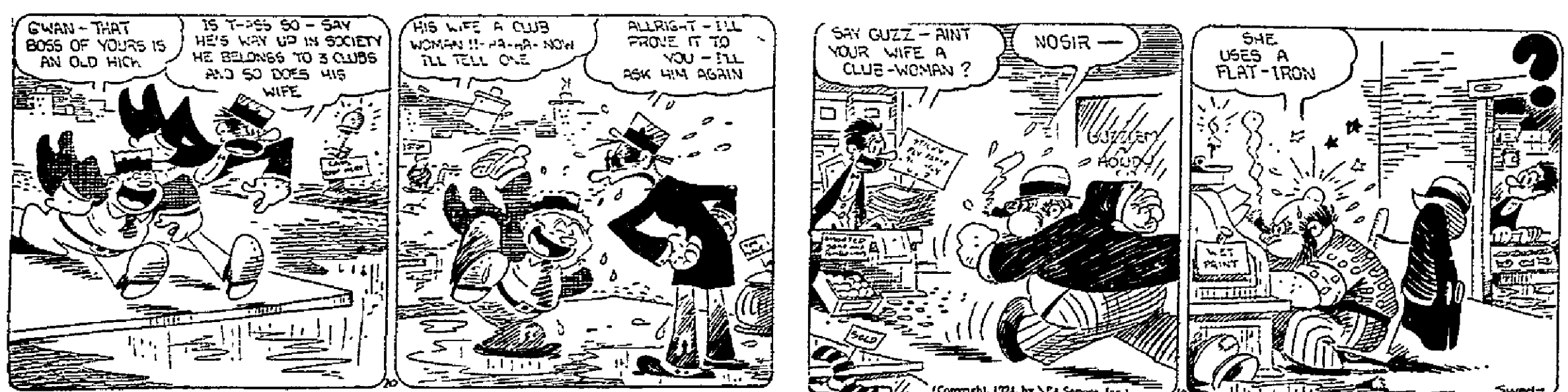
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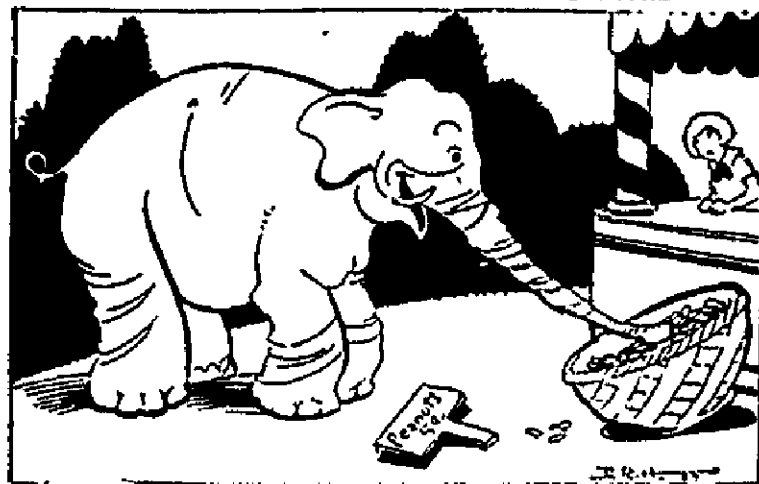
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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

By OLIVE ROBERTS BARTON

NO. 12— WEENEY AND THE TWINS KEEP STORE



While Charley Monkey went to the ball game, Weeny and the Twins munched his leopardsauce cream-peanut popcorn stand for him.

They were kept very busy.

First Andy Antelope came and bought two packages of chewing gum. Then Bobby Ostrich came and bought a sandwich (which he ate at one bite). Next Tommy Coconut bought an ice cream cone and after that so many people came it kept all three of them very busy.

Weeny kept one eye on the peanut bowl, to be sure that some of them were left.

After while customers stopped coming and the elephant and the Twins had time to sit down.

"Now then," said Weeny, wiping his face with his big handkerchief, "Charley Monkey told us to eat all we liked, so I'm going to begin by eating all the peanuts in the peanut bowl and end by drinking three gallons of orangeade and then going to sleep. Help yourselves, Twins, and don't say a word for an hour and sixty-five minutes, please. I'm going to be busy."

So he started in and all you could hear was a crunch, crunch, crunch as Weeny, the elephant, ate his peanuts. Or maybe you couldn't hear him, I forget, but anyway he ate them.

And Nancy and Nick each had over so many things, quite enough to make them sick. I am sure, ice cream cones and pickles (yes, Charley sold pickles, too) and pop and sandwiches and candy and Coca-Cola and crackerjack and everything about a hundred and ten cents' worth.

And I guess Weeny ate about a dollar and ninety cents' worth.

After Weeny had his nap, and another gallon of ginger ale, Charley Monkey came home.

"Whoopee!" he cried. "I see business has been good—very, very good. You've made so much money for me, Weeny, that I can change your hundred dollar bill now."

"Why, I haven't any hundred dollar bill," said Weeny. "I never said I had."

"Yes, you did," said Charley. "You said 'could I change a hundred dollar bill?'"

"Naw, I didn't say I had one," laughed Weeny. "Did I ask you?"

"Pshaw! I hope you didn't eat anything," cried Charley crossly.

"Yes, we did," said Weeny. "We ate almost everything that was left. You said to eat what we liked and to star as long as we wanted."

"But I thought—"

"Just help what you thought," said Weeny, looking at the Twins. "I think he was a bad elephant and should have been sent to bed without his supper."

"Oh, we're sorry!" said Nancy and Nick. "We didn't know you were going to change anything. We're ever so sorry."

Charley counted his money and then counted everything that was gone.

"You've eaten up three dollars' worth of stuff," he declared. "You owe me three dollars."

"And we worked all afternoon to you owe us three dollars, too," said Weeny.

"Who, so I do," said Charley, good naturedly. "Then we're even."

"Those are awfully good peanuts," said Weeny.

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CHILD'S STORY OF THE HUMAN RACE

By Uncle RAY

GUNPOWDER IN EUROPE'S WARS

A few years after the death of Joan of Arc, a powerful French noble quit the side of the English. That noble was the duke of Burgundy.

With the duke of Burgundy on his side, the French king did not have to fight the English very much. There was still some fighting going on, but the French most always won.

If the brave Joan could have looked at France twenty years after she died at the stake, her heart would have been filled with joy. She would have seen the English driven out of France except Calais.

Now, I shall say a few more words about the use of gunpowder in Europe.

The Chinese seem to have been the inventors of gunpowder. They used it long before anyone in Europe knew what it was like.

Travelers from China must have brought knowledge of this power to Asia Minor. At any rate, the Arabs seem to have used it to have spread knowledge about it.

In Europe, quite a few men worked to make gunpowder stronger and stronger. One of these was a monk named Roger Bacon.

For a long time, gunpowder was used more as a plaything than any thing else. It made very bright fireworks.

The men set at work to use it as a means of killing one another. They knew it would explode when confined in a small place. They made short cannon or "mortars." In the

mortars, they put gunpowder and then stone balls. When they lighted the powder it would blow the stone the way the barrels were pointed.

Such cannon were hard to aim, and clumsy to move. The French got busy and made smaller cannon which could be aimed and moved more easily.

In the year 1411, the duke of Burgundy had 4,000 soldiers who carried hand-cannon. These were long barrels which could be carried in the

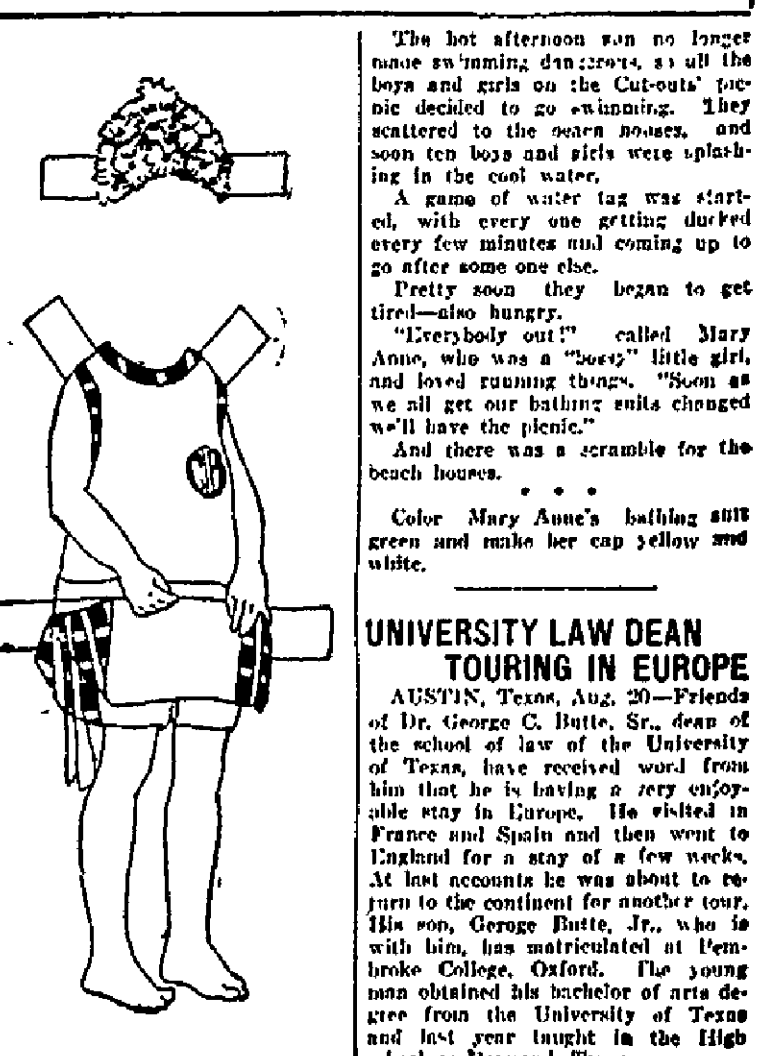
Cannon of this kind were easier to handle than the clumsy "mortars." Copper or iron balls were used as well as those of stone.

One of our pictures will give you a good idea of how they were used.

The use of gunpowder was bound to make warfare different. For a long time the old ways of fighting were used along with the cannon; but gunpowder came to be used more and more. Knights in armor learned they could be killed by a common soldier armed with a hand-cannon.

Color Cut-Outs

The Water's Fine



ARMY DIVISION GIVEN REVIEW

C. M. T. C. Regiment Takes Part at San Antonio

PORT SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 20.—The army division of last week's demonstration battle received marked contrast in yesterday's divisional review, one of the major military exercises of the army and impressive in the extreme.

The entire second division, the only complete army division in the continental area of the United States, was reviewed by Brigadier General Preston Brown, commanding the division and Fort Sam Houston. The division was commanded for the review by Col. Dan T. Moore, of Houston, senior reserve officer present and was entirely outfitted by troops and officers of the division, organized reserves, who completed their tour of duty with the review.

The composite regiment of the "Citizens" military training camp formed part of the troops reviewed and took position at the left of the line, marching with remarkable precision past the reviewing point.

The boys of the C. M. T. C. express the highest interest in the fine work of second division troops in the same warfare at Camp Bullis, near Lees Springs. The C. M. T. C. was transported the 20 miles to the wooded hills of the maneuver ground in 60 trucks and their equipment and debussing formed a demonstration for reserve officers and students.

RAIDERS GET BIG HAUL OF BOOZE STAMP PLATES

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—More than 5,000 counterfeit government stamp plates, several hundred thousand stamps, bottle labels, imitations of brands, and 45 sets of plates, the originals of which were valued at \$1,200 each, were confiscated Wednesday night by federal agents, who simultaneously raided two printing plants.

The plates for the stamp stamps were said to be the first ever taken in the United States, although thousands of the spurious stamps have been found here and elsewhere. Harry Fradin, who entered one plant while the raid was in progress, was arrested.

The officers burned down several large sites with gasoline torches to get the plates and labels, except those in process of manufacture. The raid, they said, culminated six months of investigation.

CALIFORNIA LAW MAKES JAPS LEAVE THE STATE

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 20.—Nine Japanese farmers can be induced to work for wages, many will leave California after this year and settle in neighboring states where the alien land laws are less exacting, it was announced here Wednesday by S. Takashashi, secretary of the local Japanese association. Japanese are not allowed to work as day laborers, he stated, but trial will be made this year. A plan to establish as many Japanese as possible in commerce is being worked out, according to Takashashi.

DARING HOOSIER SAILOR BELIEVED LOST AT SEA

MANILA, Aug. 20.—It is believed that Ira Sparks, Peru, Ind., who sailed from Honolulu in January for the Holy Land in a 24-foot dory, perished off the coast of Zamboanga, a deserted boat named Danitella. Honolulu has been found stranded on Gauran island on the eastern coast of Zamboanga, according to a telegram received by consular headquarters. There was no trace of Sparks.

TEXAS MAIL CARRIERS WILL MEET AT TYLER

BROWNWOOD, Texas, Aug. 20.—Tyler was selected as the 1925 meeting place of the Rural Letter Carriers' association at the close of their meeting here.

John Heddon of Sulphur Springs was re-elected president, and Julian Anderson of Whitehouse was re-elected secretary. The vice-president, Earl Slawter of Clyde, was elected, previously two vice-presidents have been named.

BIG CROWD HEARS ADAMS AT ENNIS

ENNIS, Aug. 20.—A large crowd in which farmers in large numbers were in evidence greeted Jed Adams of Dallas when he spoke here Thursday night in the interest of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson for governor. The Ennis Municipal band furnished music for the occasion.

J. B. Creek, presiding, introduced J. B. Wray, who spoke in the interest of his candidate for state senator. Following Ward, Henry Tiley, attorney of Waxahatchie, was introduced, and he in turn introduced Jed Adams.

The attack made on Judge Felix Robertson centered around his support by the kin and his supposed inability to provide over the affairs of the state. Adams declared that the reins of the government would be in better hands of a good woman than in the control of an unworthy man.

FUNDS TO BE ASKED FOR SCHOOL REPAIRS

DENTON, Aug. 20.—Governor Neff will be asked for a deficiency appropriation of \$5,000 to repair the damage done to the North Texas State Teachers' College science building by fire of undetermined origin last Sunday. Of this amount \$4,517.45 is needed to repair the building and \$482.55 for replacing equipment destroyed. President M. O. Flowers of the board of regents of Teachers' colleges of Texas has prepared the estimate for presentation to the governor and it is hoped to secure the money and make the repairs before the next college session opens September 20.

School kids both teachers after few applications of Imperial Exonema Hound. No greasy or bad smelling. Druggists are authorized to refund your money if it fails.—adv.

Iowa Girl Chosen Secretary



Miss Marion S. Heckman of Des Moines, Ia., was chosen national secretary of the Grand Army of the Republic at the encampment held in Boston, Mass.

BOOKS OPENED FOR RACE FUND

LaFollette Leaders Say Campaign Up to Voters

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—Books were opened today for contributions to the Independent campaign of Senators Robert M. LaFollette and Burton K. Wheeler for president and vice president, Elmer E. Ellman, financial director of the campaign, announced.

"The LaFollette-Wheeler campaign fund is simply that the people of the country shall underwrite the campaign of their candidates just as Wall Street has underwritten its candidates," Ellman declared in a statement issued at LaFollette headquarters.

FOX PREPARES TO FILM POPULAR GOLDEN ACTOR

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—John Golden, producer of Broadway plays for 20 years, and William Fox, motion picture producer, Wednesday announced they had united in a \$5,000,000 corporation, to be known as the John Golden Trust of Clean American Pictures, Inc. It was said one million dollars in cash had been paid to Mr. Golden by Mr. Fox.

Golden's successes are reported to be included in Mr. Golden's contribution to the new organization, in which Mr. Fox will be the architect of all screen productions. Lightning and Seventh Heaven, it is said, will be filmed with the casts that appeared in the New York presentation.

Part of the proceeds from the screen version of "Thank-U" will go to the general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States for its service pension fund for aged and infirm ministers, it was said. The story of the play has to do with the underpaid clergyman.

STOUT HOME LOST: STATE TERMS FAIL

MADISON, Wis., Aug. 20.—The state vocational board has legally lost title to the old Stout homestead at Menomonie, which was deeded to the board two years ago for Stout Institute, the attorney general's department advised George P. Hambrecht, state vocational director, Thursday.

Title to the property was given the trustees of Stout Institute with the understanding that the home be improved and used for dormitory purposes within two years after the deed was made out. The last legislature failed to appropriate the necessary funds for improving the property and recently heirs took possession on grounds that the time limit for improvements had expired.

The legal department held that the property had been restored legally without action by the vocational board.

FUR EXCHANGE FOR ORANGE THIS WINTER

ORANGE, Texas, Aug. 20.—A fur exchange will be established here when the trapping season opens to aid in the marketing of furs fattened.

A larger number of men than ever before will engage in trapping muskrat in Cameron parish, Louisiana, this year under the leadership of O. E. Jones. Over one hundred trappers will work in a 32,000 acre tract.

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NEW HOSPITAL WORK IS BEGUN

Excavation at Base of Graham Structure Started

GRAHAM, Texas, August 20.—Excavation for the basement of the Graham hospital has been completed, and Echols Bros. Construction company of Fort Worth began construction the last of the week. The building is to be of two stories, with a basement of reinforced concrete with pressed brick finish. Site proof throughout. The building is to be completed by December 20.

Thursday, August 16, the contract was let for the new Presbyterian Church. The building will be constructed on the lot now occupied by the First Presbyterian Church, and when completed will cost \$50,000.

After a delay of several months, waiting on paving brick, work has been resumed on North Elm Street from the Public Square to the Union Passenger station. This street requires fully carloads of paving brick. Other streets have been contracted for, and it is believed paving will move steadily forward if brick can be had.

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MODERN HOTEL WILL BE BUILT

Papers Filed for Structure at Greenville

GREENVILLE, Aug. 20.—Transfers papers were filed in the office of the County Clerk here yesterday afternoon which means much to the business and civic welfare of Greenville in the future. This was the deed transferring the property located in the very center of the city at the corner of Washington and St. John streets to a company whose purpose is to construct in the near future an up-to-date seven-story hotel. The lot has been owned for some time by the Greenville Telephone company, and was purchased by the hotel company for \$20,000. Plans for the new hotel call for a modern fire-proof seven-story building, with basement and roof garden costing approximately \$200,000. Plans also provide for all modern mechanical equipment, including vacuum cleaner system, hot and cold water, three elevators, sample rooms, shop rooms, dining hall and all other modern hotel equipment throughout.

It is stated that construction work will begin in the near future.

PENNSYLVANIA BOASTS LARGEST WHITE OAK

HUNTINGTON, Pa., Aug. 20.—State Forester Waller Leach, Mount Union, discovered the largest swamp white oak in Pennsylvania, according to records in the department of forestry, Harrisburg.

It is located on the farm of F. J. Madden, in Clay township, Huntington county, near the state highway running from Saktilla to McConnellsburg.

One foot from the ground it measures 18 feet 10 inches in circumference. It has no branches within 40 feet of the ground and is 15 feet high.

GRAND JURY CHARGED TO INVESTIGATE SLAYING

CHILDRRESS, Texas, Aug. 19.—Investigation of the fatal shooting of M. Dwight, anti-air candidate for sheriff, went ahead here today upon the angle that Dwight was slain by an unknown assailant, probably an enemy developed by the dead man's long career as a peace officer in this section of the country.

Dwight died yesterday without realizing consciousness after he was discovered in his garage early Sunday morning.

A grand jury has been charged to make a full investigation into the shooting.

ENGLAND TO BOOST GERMAN GOODS TAX

LONDON, Aug. 20.—The British government has informed Germany that it has decided to restore the 25 per cent tax on German goods imported into this country under the reparations recovery act. Three months ago the government reduced the duty to 5 per cent after negotiations with the German government. The restored rate will be put into effect at the beginning of the transition period, under the Dawes plan.

Badger Would Pull Rope Sending Boy Slayers to Death

CHICAGO, Aug. 20.—James Sullivan, Wis., is ready to relieve Sheriff Peter Hoffmann of the task of hanging Richard Loeb and Nathan F. Leopold, Jr. In the event that they are given the extreme penalty for the murder of Robert Frank. He is not only willing, but will "gladly do it," as shown by the following letter delivered to the sheriff Thursday:

"Sheriff of Cook County—
"Sir: If Loeb and Leopold should be lucky enough to get the gallows and you don't want to do the hanging, I'll gladly do it. Let me hear from you."
Inclosed was a semi-addressed, stamped envelope, showing that his formal address is Route 1-72, Withee, Clark county, Wis.

THREE DEAD, TWO HELD IN TEXARKANA SLAYING

TEXARKANA, Ark., Aug. 20.—Stewart and William Armstrong were held here today upon charges of murder pending hearing tomorrow in connection with a gun fight near Fouke near here, yesterday afternoon in which three men were shot to death. Walter Armstrong, father of the two prisoners, and Charles and Jim Dixon, were slain in the fight. The other Armstrong was killed, according to officers, when he attempted to halt the battle between his sons and the Dixons.

The battle was an outgrowth of bad feeling existing between the two families, officers said.

Not Many of These To Make Million

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—The largest United States dollar in the world was seized Wednesday.

The "dollar," which was a finely made, run, the exact replica of a silver certificate, with woven portraits of Lincoln and Grant, had been brought in on the steamship King Alexander by a Greek merchant of Chicago. Seizure was made by secret service agents who refused the name of the rug's owner, since its importation was inadvisable. The signature of the register of the treasury, the signature of the treasurer, face plate and counter numbers were all women in with skill.

The "dollar" was 6 feet by 4 and even carried out the color scheme of the United States currency. The rug was made in Greece.

REC'S ARMS CACHE FOUND IN CAVE

PARIS, Aug. 20.—A Bulgarian patrol Tuesday night discovered in a cave in Bulgaria, north of Uzes, 20 cases of revolvers and cartridges, 10 cases of bombs, and four cases of rifle ammunition, all of Russian manufacture, according to a dispatch from Sofia Thursday. Authorities had received reports that Russians had been endeavoring to create arms depots on Bulgaria's Black Sea coast as well as in Roumania, near the mouth of the Danube.

OSAGE OFFICERS LOOK FOR BOOZE

Reports of 'Oasis' Numerous Around Tulsa

TULSA, Aug. 20.—Yesterday the afternoon paper here described a "booze palace" near the gates of Tulsa in the Osage, where everything was "wide open."

This morning the morning newspaper tells of a "booze palace de luxe" in Rogers county, just across the Tulsa county line, about five miles from here, where a seven piece band played the most popular tunes for the flappers and jellybells, while the roulette spins merrily and hard "kicker" is served to the fashionable in trons. In this place, everything is Volstead is served at "reasonable prices," according to the story.

Today, Osage county authorities, somewhat puzzled because of publicity given the alleged Osage nation "booze palace" were in Tulsa getting "evidence" to show that Tulsa has "booze palaces" just as numerous as Osage county, according to the morning paper.

STATE PENSIONS TOTAL \$447,100

AUSTIN, Aug. 20.—Old Confederate soldiers and widows of those who have passed on will receive from the state nearly half a million dollars in pensions for the quarter ending Aug. 31. These warrants are being prepared by the pension bureau now in order that they may be mailed out in time to reach their destinations on this date.

There are approximately 13,000 of the Confederate Veterans and widows who will receive the maximum of \$34 a quarter, and there are about 500 confined in the Confederate Home who will receive half this award for the quarter. Figured on these figures the state will distribute among these old people \$447,100.

DECLARES MONARCHY IN SPAIN IS DOOMED

PARIS, Aug. 20.—Prof. Miguel Urquiza, who was deported from Spain early this year, has written an article for Quotidian declaring that continuation of the monarchy in Spain now is impossible.

"The Moroccan debacle," he writes, "will be the death of the Hapsburg dynasty in Spain and the tomb of the monarchy."

FRENCH CABINET OKES HERRIOT'S LONDON PACT

PARIS, Aug. 20.—The first step toward ratification of the pact of London conference was taken today when Premier Herriot's cabinet unanimously approved action of the French delegation at the London conference on application of the Dawes-Young reparations report.

IS SLAIN

Man Thrown Between Shaft And Elevator

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 20.—O. L. Scudler, 45, Bloomington, Texas, was killed today in the Maryland hotel here when an experienced elevator boy started the elevator, suddenly throwing Scudler and crushing his head against the side of the shaft.

Scudler, a druggist buyer for a Texarkana, Texas, firm, stepped into the elevator just as the operator, L. E. Boyd, started it. Boyd was held by police.

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This selection of specially grouped and priced fall-time frocks offers many variations in fall styles as to color and material. Black satins neatly trimmed with lace or ribbon prove to be very popular with the dapper miss as well as the more grown up. A look here will be more convincing of their popularity.

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\$2.95	\$3.95
A good heavy wool finish plaid blue, gray and tan plaid blanket with briar stitch edges.	\$5.95 Comforts
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\$3.49	\$8.95 Cotton Comforts
Nothing but an annual event would offer such prices in good wool finish cotton blankets.	Good double bed size pure white cotton fillings, our sale price.
\$4.95 Cotton Blankets	\$6.49
Extra size good heavy gray blanket in color border, ideal for camping.	\$9.95 Cotton Comforts
\$3.95	A big value for our August bedding sale in all colors most.
\$6.95	\$11.50 Wool Blankets
Cotton Comforts at 25% Savings	Uses in good heavy cotton comforts. Plain white wool blankets, in colored border, bound edges, a big value at \$7.95.
Never before have we offered such values in good heavy cotton comforts.	\$7.95
\$3.50 Cotton Comforts	\$12.50 Wool Blankets
A good double bed size cotton comforts, our August sale price only \$2.49.	Double bed box plaid wool blankets in pink, blue, gray or tan, now only \$8.95.
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Fitch Chokers	\$28.15
\$12.50 Stone Martin Opusum	\$9.75
\$22.50 Double	\$16.95
Fitch Choker	\$18.75
\$25.00 single	
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\$27.50 Russian	\$21.65
Fitch Choker	\$28.15
\$37.50 Russian	\$28.15
Fitch Chokers	\$26.25
\$37.50 Double	\$28.15
Fitch Choker	\$28.15
\$37.50 Double	\$28.15
Fitch Choker	\$28.15
Squirrel Chokers	
\$3.50 single	\$6.45
Squirrel Chokers	\$11.25
\$5.00 single	\$11.25
Squirrel Chokers	\$13.10
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Squirrel Chokers	
\$22.50 single	\$16.95
Squirrel Chokers	\$22.10
\$27.50 single	\$28.15
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\$32.50 single	\$16.95
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